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In re Application of  
Richard C. Worrell et al.  
Application No. 09/495,257  
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Attorney Docket No. 2151

ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed February 19, 2002, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to reply within the meaning of 37 CFR 1.113 in a timely manner to the final Office action mailed June 18, 2001, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of three (3) months. A one- month extension of time and a request for reconsideration were filed on October 18, 2001. The reply filed October 18, 2001 failed to place the application in condition for allowance. Accordingly, the above-identified application became abandoned on October 19, 2001.

The application is being forwarded to Technology Center AU 1771 for processing of the Continued Prosecution Application (CPA) filed February 19, 2002.

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